

DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

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☐ and is amended by the Preliminary Amendment attached hereto.
☒ was filed on June 29, 1995 as Application Serial No. 08/497,382
☐ and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

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